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ADDRESS

TO HER


MARYLAND LOVER,

BY

A VIRGINIAN GIRL.

RICHMOND.

1861.



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Air—"Fly to the Desert."

Fly to the South, come fly with me!
In Richmond there's a home for thee,
But oh! the choice, what heart can fear
Submission at home, or *Freedom* here.

If wounded, thy true love will be
A Florence Nightingale to thee,
If killed, above thee she will pour,
Of pearly tears, full many a shower.

Then fly with me, if thou dost claim,
Thy Southern rights and Southern name;
And foremost 'mid our ranks show forth
Thy hatred of the oppressing North.

But if like some in deep contrition,
You hope for Maryland's submission,
And like a dastard calmly kneel,
And bow to the usurper's steel.

Then fare thee well, I'd never own
My looks were on a coward thrown,
Love to a poltroon I'd ne'er give,
But rather bid him die, than live!

M. F. Q.

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